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Dr. Robert M. Gates
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Dear Dr. Gates:

Just a note to let you know how very much we, in the Dallas Assembly, appreciate your having taken the time last Tuesday to visit with us. I'm sure you could tell by the applause how well your comments were received. You were outstanding!

It's gratifying to know that a person like yourself serving our country in a position of such importance is so obviously capable, candid - and honest.

Thanks again for sharing your time.

Best personal regards.

Sincerely,



Joel T. Williams, III

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